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May 14, 2003
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
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 >) Attorney Docket: A1036A
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 >) Art Unit: 2874
Serial No.: 10/038,298)
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 >) Examiner: Sanghavi, Hemang
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Filed: January 4, 2002)
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Title: Composite Cable Units

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. sec. 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 9, 2003, the following faxed amendment(s) and/or remark(s) are submitted. Applicant respectfully requests that this reply be entered into the record as a substantive reply to the outstanding Office Action.

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